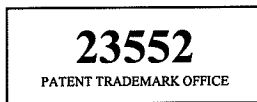


REMARKS

The above amendments are made to fix a minor typographical error in claims 1 and 17. No substantive issues are raised by this Amendment, and the scope of the claims is not enlarged. Applicants request the Examiner's consideration and entry of such Amendments.

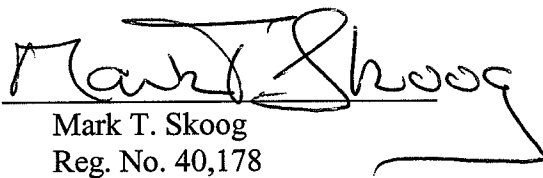
If a telephone conference would be helpful in resolving any issues concerning this communication, please contact Applicants' Attorney, Mark T. Skoog (Reg. No. 40,178), at (612) 766-6093.

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